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SUBJECT: VISIT OF EMBASSY AGRICULTURE ATTACHE PHILLIPSEN TO BULGARIA

1. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED, VIA PHONE FROM PHILLIPSEN IN ATHENS, INFORMATION THAT DOA ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR AGRICULTURAL ATTACHES WILLIAM HORBALY HAS ASKED THAT PHILLIPSEN VISIT, SCHEDULED FOR SEPT 20-24 BE CANCELLED AND RE-SCHEDULED FOR A TIME WHEN HORBALY CAN ACCOMPANY.

2. WHILE WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO RECEIVE VISIT FROM MR. HORBALY, PHILLIPSEN'S SEPT 20-24 VISIT HAS BEEN FULLY DISCUSSED WITH GOB AGRICULTURE MINISTRY, AND DIPLOMATIC NOTE ANNOUNCING THIS INAUGURAL VISIT AND SPECIFYING ARRANGEMENTS WAS DESPATCHED AUGUST 31. CANCELLATION LESS THAN ONE WEEK BEFORE VISIT DUE TO BEGIN WOULD BE EXTREMELY AWKWARD AND, IN EMBASSY'S JUDGMENT, WOULD GET PHILLIPSEN OFF TO A BAD START WITH BULGARIAN AGRICULTURE MINISTRY (WHICH HAS ORGANIZED CALLS, VISITS, FIELD TRIPS, ETC.).

3. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS STRONGLY OUR VIEW THAT SEPT 20-24 VISIT SHOULD TAKE PLACE ON SCHEDULE, AND THAT IT IS LIKELY TO BE AN EXCELLENT FOLLOW-UP TO SECRETARY BUTZ' HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL VISIT LAST APRIL.
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